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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : **Mail Stop Amendment**
Tsunehisa SANAGI : Patent Art Unit: 3744
Serial No. 10/507,019 : Examiner: Emily I. Nalven
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For: CENTRIFUGAL FAN WITH AIR GUIDE :

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT WITH CERTIFICATION

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In accordance with MPEP 609 and 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant brings the references listed on the attached PTO-1449-Form to the Examiner's attention and requests that they be considered and made of record in this application. *Copies of the non-U.S. patents are attached.*

Japanese Utility Model Publication No.S36-022741 appears to disclose a fan.

Japanese Utility Model Publication No.S54-168607 appears to disclose a motor refrigerator for a centrifugal fan.

Japanese Utility Model Publication No.S56-150888 appears to disclose a fan having multiple vanes.

Japanese Utility Model Publication No.S60-164699 appears to disclose a centrifugal fan.

Japanese Utility Model Publication No.S62-069097 appears to disclose air conditioning equipment for a fan.

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Prompt examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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